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SUBJECT: TRIP OF MACIAS TO GABON AN APPARENT SUCCESS

AWEF: DOUALA 187

PRESIDENT MACIAS VISITED LIBREVILLE FROM)6-30 JUNE,
ACCORDING TO DIPLOMATIC SOURCES IN SANTA ISABEL, VISIT WAS
CONSIDERED A GREAT SUCCESS. MEETINGS BETWEEN THE PRESIDENTS
WENT WELL AND PUBLIC RESPONSE TO PRESIDENT MACIAS WAS
SATISFACTORY. AT END OF THE VISIT, PRESIDENT BONGO REPORTEDLY
PRESENTED MACIAS THREE MERCEDES CARS, FOUR (SOME SAY FIVE)
LANDROVERS AND TWELVE TONS OF MEDICINES. SOMEWHAT STRANGELYVSN
RESIDENT IS ALSO SAID TO HAVE GIVEN A CASH GIFT TO MACIAS
OF 10,000,000 EQUATORIAL GUINEAN PESETAS--(NON-CONVERTIBLE BUT
HAVING VALUE IN NIGHBORHOOD \$175,000 AT OFFICIAL DBCHANGE
RATE).
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